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For they have trampled on our rights,
And we have stood it long enough.
Now our General once more will show
He's made of valiant-stuff.
For he'll either take the Fort,
Or fall before its walls,
For never will he turn his back
On old Abe Lincoln's balls.

Chorus When hurrah for General Bragg, &c.

And hurrah for Alabama,
Though her sons are right "fast-boys,"
We'll show them soon that we can fight
As well as make a noise.
But he who counts the cost,
With no laurel shall be crown'd
Carpet-knights may stay at home,
But go! ye true men sound.

Chorus When hurrah for General Bragg, &c.

By a Sandusky Lady.

Departure for Pensacola.
Air "Jeanette and Jeanette."

Let us off to Pensacola
To the enemy to fight,
We'll meet them with our soldiers brave,
And put them all to flight.
Then raise our banner high,
To the joyous morning breeze,
We will go with valiant hearts
To the enemy to seize.

Chorus Then hurrah! for General Bragg,
A soldier brave and true,
We know he is no man of straw,
But always is true blue.
And though 'tis now but April
His "grapes" are fully ripe,
He'll give the Yankees time to taste,
But not their lips to wipe.